

To Miss Carrie Fink.

BACKWARD TURNING.
— Ballad. —

Words and Music by

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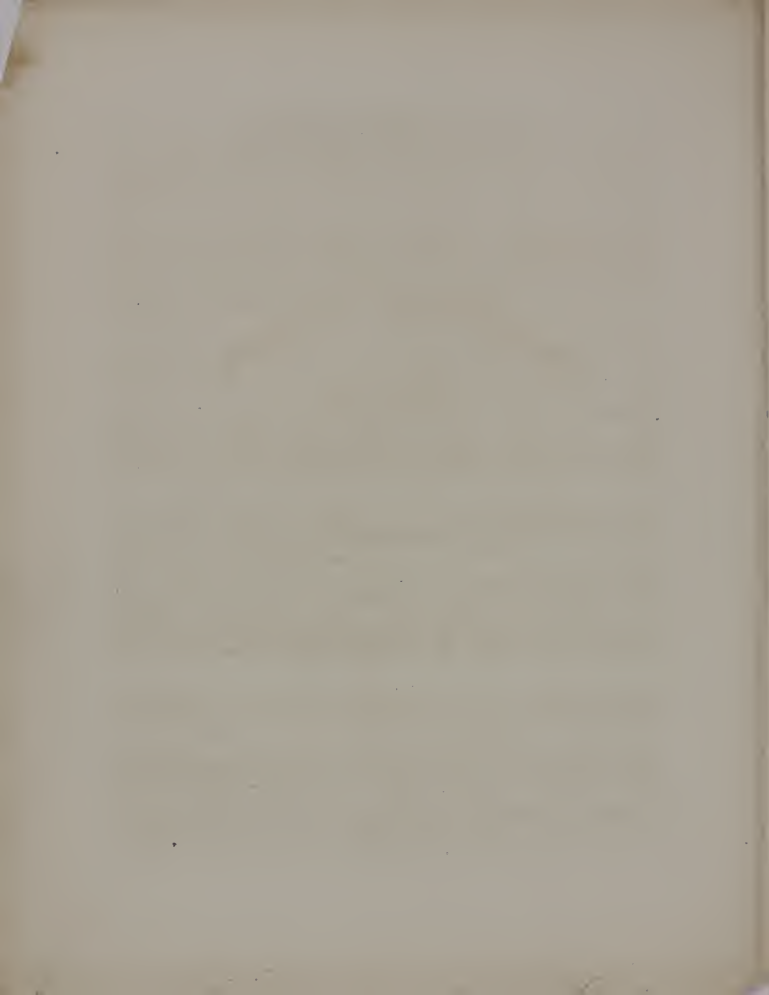
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Andante.

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Backward tur-ning, my heart is yearning, from the love I thought was mine a-

p

-lone. — Deep as o-cean, my soul's commo-tion, dreaming of those happy moments

p

flown! — From en-dearing, words so cheering, all my passion's hope was center'd

ritard. *p* *al tempo.*

there: — False as flee - ting, the ten - der gree - ting, From the

ritard.

lips as false as form was fair.

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Backward tur - ning, still I am

p

year - ning, for the form no more to greet my sight, While each

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mor-row, brings but sor-row, still re-new'd midst shadows of the

night; — Yet so sligh-ted, the vows once pligh-ted, still Oh

still I love her as be-fore; — And I'll cher-ish, though I

rit. *a tempo.*

per-ish, that dear dream of bliss for-ev-er-more.

